

PATENT

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Applicant: Olov B. Karlsson, et al.  
Title: SHALLOW TRENCH ISOLATION (STI) REGION WITH HIGH-K  
LINER AND METHOD OF FORMATION  
Docket No.: G0603

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Preliminary to examination, please amend the subject patent application as set forth herein.